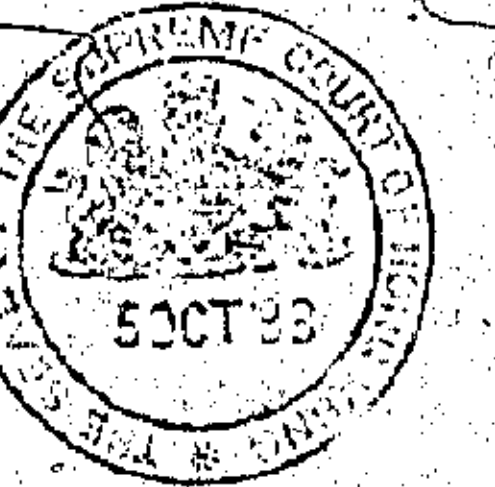


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HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000.
RESERVE FUND, \$2,500,000.
CURRENT ACCOUNT, \$1,000,000.

Interest Allowed on Current Account at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
For 6 months, 4 per cent. per annum.
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

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T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, August 25, 1883.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. BUTTNER DADABHOY
TATA & Co.
1st October, 1883.

NOTICE.

I HAVE established myself at this Port and in Fookien under the style of J. O. ELLES & Co. Mr. FRANCIS OASS is authorized to sign the Firm.

NOTICE.

FROM this date Messrs. RUSSELL & Co. will conduct our business at this port and all communications should be addressed to them.

NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. G. A. GROSSMANN in our Firm ceased on the 1st August, 1883.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself as a SHARE and GENERAL BROKER.

NOTICE.

A Good BOOKKEEPER, who has a few years' experience in the early morning, would be glad to take charge of a set of Accounts. Terms very moderate.

Intimations.

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WILLIAM BOLAN,
SHIP-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,
75, PRATA STREET.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANYAS,
MANTLES, AMERICAN
OAKUM, LIFE BOATS,
COKE JACKETS,
&c. &c. &c.

Intimations.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ON and after MONDAY, the 1st October, the Hour of Departure of the NIGHT-BOATS will be 6.30 p.m. from Hongkong, and 5 p.m. from Canton.

By Order, P. A. DA COSTA, Secretary.
Hongkong, September 28, 1883.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st October, the PRICE of ICE will be REDUCED to 14 Cents per pound.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, September 15, 1883.

THE VICTORIA ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL, \$50,000 DOLLARS.
1,000 SHARES OF 50 DOLLARS EACH.

Payments:—\$25 per Share upon Allotment or within ten days thereafter; Balance of \$25 per Share on or before the 28th FEBRUARY, 1884.

Directors:
(To be named by Shareholders as soon as the Shares are taken up.)
Messrs. SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS:
THIS Company is formed for the MANUFACTURE of ICE in the Colony of Hongkong on the Binary Absorption System patented by the International Ice and Refrigerating Machine Company of New York.

According to arrangements it is anticipated that the business of the Company will be in complete working order by next March, 1884.

An arrangement has been made with the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION to allow the amount paid on the shares when allotted until the Board of Directors of the Company is appointed, the amount will then be placed to the credit of the Company.

Copies of the Prospectus, Articles of Association and forms of Application for Shares may be obtained by letter from the Secretary of the Company, Mr. J. M. GURDES, 39, Wellington Street, who has consented to act till a Board of Directors for the Company is appointed by the Shareholders.

J. M. GURDES,
39, Wellington Street.
Hongkong, September 15, 1883.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
THE THIRD CALL of £10 Sterling per SHARE on the 20,000 SHARES, NEW ISSUE of this Corporation, will fall due on the 30th SEPTEMBER CURRENT, in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and Hongkong.

Shareholders are requested to pay, at the respective Offices, the above Call or its equivalent in the Currency of the above-mentioned places.

PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES are being issued in exchange for the 1st Call Receipts, which are to be surrendered to the Bank.

Interest at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum will be charged on Calls unpaid on the 30th SEPTEMBER.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, September 12, 1883.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1882.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to send in to this Office a List of their Contributions of Premium for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the PROPORTION of PROFIT for that year to be paid as BONUS to CONTRIBUTORS may be arranged.

By Order of the Board,
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, September 1, 1883.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
ADJUSTMENT OF BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1882.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to send in to this Office a List of their Contributions of Premium for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the PROPORTION of PROFIT for that year to be paid as BONUS to CONTRIBUTORS may be arranged.

By Order of the Board,
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, September 1, 1883.

WILLIAM BOLAN,
SHIP-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,
75, PRATA STREET.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANYAS,
MANTLES, AMERICAN
OAKUM, LIFE BOATS,
COKE JACKETS,
&c. &c. &c.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, August 16, 1883.

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

TO HAND PER "GLENDALE."

PEARS' ASSORTED BEST TOILET SOAPS.
PEARS' PRICKLY HEAT SOAP.
CARBOLIC ACID.
CARBOLIC DISINFECTING POWDER IN DREDGERS.
WINTER HOSIERY.

TAILORING GOODS IN THIS SEASON'S PATTERNS.
THE NEW CLIMAX UMBRELLAS, guaranteed to wear.
THE NEW TIDDY KETTLES WITH LAMPS.
THE NEW COFFEE MACHINES.
THE DUPLEX TABLE LAMPS, latest designs.
ARTISTIC FENDERS and FIRE IRONS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, September 17, 1883.

SAYLE & Co.'s SHOW-ROOMS.

WE ARE NOW SHOWING EX-LATE ARRIVALS our first delivery of
"NEW AUTUMN FASHIONS" IN
DRESS MATERIALS,
JACKETS,
MANTLES,
MILLINERY,
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FEATHERS,
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LACES,
&c., &c., &c.

Direct from the best FRENCH and ENGLISH Markets.
AN EARLY INSPECTION INVITED.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
Hongkong, September 13, 1883.

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.
THE Public are hereby informed that the GOVERNMENT CONTRACTOR for the REMOVAL of EXCRETA MATTERS from the City of Victoria has no control over, nor has he any right to interfere in any way whatsoever with private nightmen who are, or who may be employed by Householders.

HUGH MCCALLUM,
Sanitary Inspector.
SANITARY OFFICE,
Hongkong, October 1, 1883.

NOTICE.

AN Extraordinary General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG CLUB is hereby convened for WEDNESDAY, the 10th October next, at 3.30 p.m. SPECIAL BUSINESS.

By Order of the General Committee,
A. O. GOURDIN,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, September 27, 1883.

HOP SHING & Co.,
ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS,
COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON
FOUNDERS, &c.,
NESS IRON WORKS.

HAVING this day commenced Business, are ready to undertake Work of the above Descriptions under the Supervision of an Experienced European.

Orders executed with the utmost despatch and at moderate terms.
ENGINE ROOM STORE, WEST POINT,
Hongkong.
24th September, 1883.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND CONTINENTAL PORTS.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for passing the Company's Steamers through the Suez Canal in QUARANTINE, thus avoiding any detention in Egypt. The Homebound Mails are now being landed at VENICE, but the QUARANTINE which is still imposed at this and all other CONTINENTAL PORTS prevents the landing of Passengers, and those travelling by the Company's Steamers are advised to remain on board the Vessel which calls at MANZARAH on route—stopping a few hours only to discharge Cargo—and proceed in her direct to London, thus avoiding all QUARANTINE delays and inconveniences.

The Passages of the Steamers will be accelerated, and they will not call at MALTA or GIBRALTAR.

E. L. WOODIN,
Acting Superintendent.
Hongkong, September 6, 1883.

IT frequently occurs that from damp or otherwise Goods are spoiled from the fact of being musty, mouldy, unpalatable to Foreigners' taste and unfit for their use.

This Refuse Tea the Lady Superintendents of the Ladies and Gentlemen to let her have for her numerous Chinese pupils, for whom the sole beverage of luxury is Tea.

HONGKONG, September 10, 1883.

For Sale.

NEW ON SALE

A CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT.

By DR. E. J. EITEL.
CROWN OCTAVO, PP. 1018.

HONGKONG, 1877-1883.
Part I. A-K, \$2.50
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Part IV. T-Y, \$3.00

A Reduction of 25 per cent. will be allowed to purchasers of ten or more copies.

This Standard Work on the Chinese Language, constructed on the basis of Kauff's Imperial Dictionary, contains all Chinese characters in practical use, and while alphabetically arranged according to the sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Cantonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronunciation of all characters explained in the book, so that its usefulness is by no means confined to the Cantonese Dialect, but the work is a practically complete Thesaurus of the whole Written Language of China, ancient and modern, as used all over the Empire, whilst its introductory chapters serve the purposes of a philological guide to the student.

A Supplement, arranged for being bound and used by itself, and containing a List of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of Surnames, will be published and sold separately.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, January 15, 1883.

FOR SALE CHEAP.
FIVE Hundred to Six Hundred Tons COKE and COAL TAR, in lots to suit, from one ton upwards.

CHOY CHEW,
250, Praya West.
Hongkong, June 18, 1883.

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TAILOR, DRAPER AND GENERAL OUTFITTER.

BEST MATERIALS and a PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED.
At Moderate Prices.

Dealer in Chinese Silks of all kinds, MATTING, BAMBOO BLINDS, And many ways on Hand.

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WHOLESALE MANUFACTURERS of SILK COATS and other GARMENTS for exportation.

No. 62, Queen's Road Central, (Fourth door west from PORTINER'S STREET), HONGKONG.
September 14, 1883.

WASHING BOOKS.
(In English and Chinese.)
WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each.

For Sale.

THE REPORT OF THE TRIAL OF LOGAN AT CANTON that have appeared in the China Mail is being printed in PAMPHLET FORM, and will be on Sale early to-morrow MORNING.—Price, 30 Cents.

Hongkong, October 2, 1883.

THE SERIOUS DISTURBANCE AT CANTON.

THE Whole of the Copies of the Overland China Mail, containing the Accounts which appeared in the China Mail of the Acts of the Chinese mob at Canton, having been sold out, these Accounts have been Reprinted in PAMPHLET FORM, and may now be obtained at the China Mail Office.—Price, 30 Cents.

The Pamphlet includes the Letters that have appeared in the China Mail on the subject of the disturbance, the Editorial Comments, and the Extracts from the Native Papers.

FOR SALE.
JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, Quarts, \$18 per doz. Case. Pils, \$19 per doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, November 1, 1881.

FOR SALE.
GOOD BORDEAUX CLARET in cases of 1 doz. Quarts at \$3.50. WOLFE SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS in cases of 12 Bottles at \$5.00. Also, some PRIME HOLLAND JEN- EVER in Stone bottles, and some POMERANZEN BITTERS.

Double Barreled Breach Loading GUNS, RIFLES, REVOLVERS, CARTRIDGES and SHOT, &c., &c., &c.

J. F. SCHEFFER,
21 and 23, Pottinger Street.
Hongkong, August 10, 1883.

PUBLICATIONS
BY JOHN CHALMERS, M.A., LL.D., to be bought of LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. and KELLY & WALSH.

Structure of Chinese Characters, \$4.00.
Cantonese Dictionary, 3.00.
Cantonese K'anghi, half calf, 5.00.
Do. stitched, 3.00.
Tau-tah-king, 2.00.
The Question of Terms, 1.00.
Origin of the Chinese, 1.50.
The Rhymes of the Shi, 1.00.

LONDON MISSION,
Hongkong, May 16, 1883.

To Let.
GODOWNS-TO-LET
PRAYA EAST AND WANCHAI ROAD.
For Particulars, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

TO LET.
SPACIOUS GODOWN at BOWRINGTON, suitable for the Storage of Coal.
Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, March 8, 1883.

TO LET.
NO. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL (late occupied by PACIFIC MAIL S. Co.) "BIENNE VILLA" Pokufoom, Furnished.
Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, August 30, 1883.

TO LET.
THE PREMISES now occupied by us, No. 11, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. For further Particulars apply to Messrs. RUSSELL & Co.

TO LET.
GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, August 1, 1883.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.
INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Leanne*, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underigned for counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 6th October, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,
Hongkong, September 23, 1883.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Japan* having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underigned for counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 6th October, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected.

Consignees are hereby informed that any Claims must be made immediately, and will be entertained after the 10th October.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, September 29, 1883.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Company's Steamer "Mongkut," Captain P. H. Lorr, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 4th Inst., at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.
Hongkong, October 2, 1883.

UNION LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship "Ogishima," Captain JONES, will be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 4th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, October 1, 1883.

FOR SHANGHAI
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEONG, TIENTSIN, NEW-CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Steamship "Glenloch," Capt. QUARTLEY, will be despatched as above on or about the 4th October.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, September 29, 1883.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR KUDAT AND SANDAKAN.

The Co.'s Steamship "Glenloch," Captain POCOCK, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 6th Proximo, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.
Hongkong, September 27, 1883.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Achilles," Capt. ANDERSON, will be despatched on or about the 6th October.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, September 29, 1883.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Arkona," Captain BRAG, will be despatched on or about the 6th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, September 25, 1883.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship "Glenloch," Captain PARK, will be despatched as above on or about the 9th October.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, September 25, 1883.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship "Glenloch," Captain PARK, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 6th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, September 25, 1883.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND.)

The Steamship "Wanganui," Capt. WILLIAMS, will be despatched on or about the 20th Proximo.

This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, September 29, 1883.

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship "Patriot," Captain BROWN, will be despatched on or about the 13th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, October 1, 1883.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

For Sale.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.
No. 53, Queen's Road East,
(OPPOSITE THE COMMISSIONARIAT),
ARE NOW LANDING
FROM AMERICA.

CALIFORNIA
RACKER
COMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb
tins, and loose.
Soda BISCUITS.
Assorted BISCUITS.

Small ROMINY.
Cracked WHEAT.
OATMEAL.
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White BEANS.
TOPOCAN BUTTER.
Eastern and California CHEESE.
COTTAGE in Tins.
Prime HAMS and BACON.
Eagle Brand Condensed MILK.
Family BEEF in 25 lb kegs.
Bou Ideal SALMON in 5 lb cans.
Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 2 lb cans.
" Potatoes, and Sausage MEAL.
" Stuffed PEPPERS.
" Assorted SOUPS.
Richardson & Robbins' Celebrated Potted MEATS.
Richardson & Robbins' Curried OYSTERS.
Clear OREGON SALMON.
Dried APPLES.
TOMATOES.
SUCCOTASH.
BROWN.
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400 lb. Capacity.
600 lb. "
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OFFICE HIGH CHAIRS.
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BREAKFAST CLARET, " "

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SACON'S PORTMANZILLA & AMON-
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SACON'S OLD INVALID PORT
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BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c., &c.
1 and 3-star HENNESSY'S BRANDY.
BISQUIT'S STOUT, bottled by E. &
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BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices.
Hongkong, July 10, 1883.

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COMPANY.

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OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF
FRANCISCO will be despatched for San
Francisco, via Yokohama, at 10 a.m. on
THURSDAY, the 11th October, at 3 p.m., taking
Passengers and Freight, for Japan, the United
States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and
Indian Oceans of the United States, via Over-
land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and
Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central
and South America, by the Company's and
connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to
England, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

RETURN PASSENGERS.—Passengers, who
have paid full fare, re-embarking at San
Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa)
within six months, will be allowed a discount
of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking
within one year, an allowance of 10% will
be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return
Passage Orders, available for one year,
will be issued at a Discount of 25% from
Return Fare. These allowances do not apply
to through fares from China and Japan to
Europe.

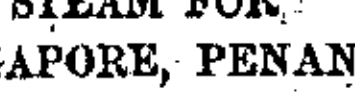
Freight will be received on board until 4
p.m. on the 10th Oct. Parcel Packages
will be received at the office until 5 p.m. on
same day; all Parcel Packages should be
marked to address in full; value of same
is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland
Cargo should be sent to the Company's
Office in San Francisco, addressed to the
Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

F. E. FOSTER,
Agent.

Hongkong, September 28, 1883. oc11



STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG,
COLOMBO, ADEN, MARSEILLES,
MALTA, GIBRALTAR,
BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE,
AND LONDON;
ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND
AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills
of Lading for SINGAPORE, PENANG,
COLOMBO, ADEN, MARSEILLES,
TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK
AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
DECCAN, Captain A. W. J. JAMESON, will
be despatched from this for LONDON direct, via SUEZ
CANAL and usual Ports of Call, on
TUESDAY, the 10th October, at 4 p.m.
Cargo will be received on board until
10 a.m. on the day of sailing.
Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office
until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.
For further Particulars, regarding
FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVI-
GATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are
required to be declared prior to shipment.
Shippers are particularly requested to
note the terms and conditions of the Com-
pany's Black Bills of Lading.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pas-
sengers for MARSEILLES.

E. L. WOODIN,
Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, October 1, 1883. oc16

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COLONIAL NEWSPAPER & COM-
MISSION AGENT.

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THE Colonial Press supplied with News-
papers, Books, Types, Ink, Presses,
Papers, Correspondents, Letters, and any
European Goods on London terms.

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Colonial Newspapers received at the office
are regularly filed for the inspection of
Advertisers and the Public.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. Oct. 3, 1883.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid- up.	Reserve.	Working Account.	Last Dividend (Cents).	Quota- tion, Cash.
BANKS.							
H.K. & Shanghai Bank.	30,000	125	125	3,198,336	52,509.62	£2	188 1/2 = \$397 1/2
INSURANCE.							
Nih. China Ins.	1,000	2,000	1,600	400,000	12,304.77	7 1/2	TL1400 p. sh.
Yantai Ins.	1,200	2,400	1,920	480,000	13,059.76	18 1/2	TL1015 "
Union Ins. Soc.	2,000	4,000	3,200	800,000	24,714.05	45	TL2050 "
China Traders' Insurance.	24,000	83.33	25	600,000	107,411.65	22 1/2	\$177 1/2
O'Connell's Office	10,000	250	50	500,000	10,127.77	10 1/2	\$105 "
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500	1,000	200	100,378	2,307.18	3 1/2	\$125 1/2
H.K. Fire Ins.	8,000	250	50	801,000	25,732.54	30 1/2	\$352 1/2
China Fire Ins.	20,000	100	20	600,000	100,366.45	85	\$800 1/2
WYMAN & PARNES. H.K. & M. Steamboat.	8,000	100	75	200,000	41,320.95	6 1/2	\$125 "
Indo-China S. Nav. Co.	120,000	10 1/2	10				17 1/2 dis.
China & Manila S.S. Coy., Ltd.	3,500	100	all				18 1/2 prem.
MISCELLANEOUS.							
H.K. & Wh'pos. Dock.	10,000	125	125	18,000	2,083.01	4 1/2	57 1/2 prem.
H.K. & Wh'pos. (Gas Co.)	5,000	10 1/2	10 1/2	17,758.14	1,144.18		\$80 p. share
H'kong Hotel Co.	2,000	100	100	30,000			\$3
China Sugar Co.	9,000	100	100		5,895.56		\$132
H'kong Ice Co.	1,250	50	50	15,250	287.06	\$12 1/2	for \$150
H'kong Bakery	600	50	50	4,000	253.45		\$82
Leung's Bakery	7,000	100	100		4,090.65		\$77
LOANS.							
Ch'ng Imp.	1874	6,276	100	all			8 1/2
" "	1877	16,040	100	all			8 1/2
" "	1878	3,898	100	all			8 1/2
" "	1881	8,566	100	all			8 1/2
Sugar Deben- tures, 1880.	600	500	all				8 1/2
Dividend for 1881.—To 30th April 1882.—For year 1881.—For half year ended 30th June 1882.—(1) and for total dividend to date decided by the Shareholders.							

Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.
(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL.—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.
If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned, Agents of the above
Company, are authorized to insure
against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-
PANY.

THE Underigned are prepared to accept
Risks on First Class Godowns at 1/2
per cent. net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF
His Majesty King George The First,
A. D. 1720.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.
Policies at current rates, payable either
here, in London, or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.
Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates.

Life Department.
Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for
any Debt contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

CHARLES BAL, British ship, Capt. W. J.
Watson.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

C. T. Hook, British steamer, Captain W.
Jarvis.—Thos. Howard & Co.

COMBODIA, Genl. 3-m. schooner, Capt.
H. Rüfer.—M. B. M. S. Co.

FURNACE ARMY, American barque, Capt.
J. T. Marcy.—Master.

KILBERRA, British barque, Capt. Hugh
Wallace.—Meyer & Co.

LENNOX, British steamer, Captain D.
Scott.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

MAJIC, British brig, Captain White.—
Order.

NIKOVA, British barque, Captain James
Foster.—Arnold, Karberg & Co.

ROBERT DIXON, American ship, Capt. O.
C. Young.—Messageries Maritimes.

SARAH S. RIDGWAY, American barque,
Capt. H. C. Townsend.—Chinese.

SEA RIFLE, Brit. 3-m. schooner, Capt.
Alfred Rickers.—Siemssen & Co.

SILVER EAGLE, British barque, Captain
Richard.—Wielser & Co.

STILLMAN B. ALLEN, American barque,
Capt. W. S. Eldridge.—Russell & Co.

TEZUAN, British barque, Capt. S. Hyne.
—Wielser & Co.

WILDWOOD, American barque, Captain
Chas. A. Sawyer.—Captain.

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ence to PARTNERSHIP, REGISTRATION AND
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Opium and the Smoking Extract.
Notice of New Books and Literary Intel-
ligence.
Notes and Queries.
Correspondence.
Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.
To-Contributors.

Hongkong, September 28, 1883.

Mr. Andrew Wind,
News Agent, &c.
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ST. JACOB'S OIL.
ELECTRIC HAIR BRUSHES.
HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, September 24, 1883. "Ste" 84

To-day's Advertisements.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship
"Albatross,"
Capt. GODDARD, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on FRIDAY, the 5th Instant, at
Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARPAK & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, October 3, 1883. oc5

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship
"Douglas,"
Capt. S. ASHLEY, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on TUESDAY, the 9th Instant, at
Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARPAK & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, October 3, 1883. oc6

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND
SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "Glenelg" having ar-
rived from the above Ports, Consignees
of Cargo are hereby informed that their
Goods, with the exception of Opium, are
being landed at their risk into the Godowns
of the Underigned, whence and/or from
the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-
tained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless
notice to the contrary be given before
2 p.m. on the 3rd October.
Cargo remaining undelivered after the
10th Instant will be subject to sale.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, October 3, 1883. oc10

THE S.S. KUMAMOTO MARU, Capt.
T. DRUMMOND, due here on or about the
7th Instant, will be despatched as above
on FRIDAY, the 12th October, at 4 p.m.
Cargo received on board and Parcels at
the Office up to 1 p.m. of day of sailing.
No Bill of Lading signed under \$2
Freight.

All Claims must be settled on board
before delivery is taken, otherwise they
will not be recognized.
Cargo and Passengers for Yokohama
will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail
Steamer at Kobe, and for Vladivostok at
Nagasaki.

For further Particulars, apply at the
Company's Offices, Praya Central, Ground
Floor of Messrs. Russell & Co.

H. J. H. TRIPP,
Agent.

Hongkong, October 3, 1883. oc12

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

Oct. 2, Anton, German steamer, 330, F.
V. Schroder, Pakhoi Sept. 30, and Holbow
Oct. 1, General.—Wielser & Co.

Oct. 3, Oxfordshire, British steamer, 998,
C. F. Jones, Amoy Oct. 1, General.—
Russell & Co.

Sept. 3, Amoy, British steamer, from
Canton.

Oct. 3, Killarney, British steamer, 1060,
O.'Neill, Manila Sept. 29, 3,000, Balas,
Hamp.—Guthrie & Co.

Oct. 3, Glenelg, British steamer, 1555,
P. Quayle, London, Aug. 15, Suez 30, Pen-
ang Sept. 17, and Singapore 25, General.
—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Oct. 3, Catterthun, British steamer, 1480,
F. Binetoad, Sydney Sept. 10, and Port
Darwin 22, General, 1,300 tons Coal and 18
boxes Gold.—Guthrie & Co.

Oct. 3, Peking, British steamer, from
Canton.

Oct. 3, Bellona, German steamer, 780,
W. Schaefer, Saigon Sept. 28, General.—
Siemssen & Co.

Oct. 3, Geelong, British steamer, 1139,
J. W. Case, Bombay Sept. 14, General.—
P. & O. S. N. Co.

Oct. 3, Edward Osborn, British steamer,
from St. John's.

DEPARTURES.

Oct. 3, Piccola, for Singapore.
3, Kwangtung, for Coast Ports.
3, Young Slam, for Bangkok.
3, Generala, for Manila.
3, Hungarian, for London.
3, Diamonds, for Amoy.

CLARDED

Robert Dixon, for San Francisco.
Stillman B. Allen, for New York.
Charles, for Newchwang.
Oxfordshire, for New York.
Fortune, for Bangkok.
Europe, for Saigon, &c.
Anton, for Holbow, &c.
Hermann, for Poochwang.
Atlantic, for Chiofo.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

For Anton, from Pakhoi, &c., 1 Euro-
pean, and 48 Chinese.
For Oxfordshire, from Amoy, 25 Chinese.
For Glenelg, from Straits, 300 Chinese.
For Catterthun, from Saigon, &c., Mr.
and Mrs. White and child, Messrs S. Kay-
nell, Thos. Binnie, and Suppinco, and 74
Chinese.

For Bellona, from Saigon, 10 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

For Kwangtung, for Swatow, Mr and Mrs
Thomas, 2 children and 50 Chinese.
For Piccola, for Singapore, 380 Chinese.
For Diamonds, for Amoy, 140 Chinese.

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BAROMETRIC level of the sea is inches, tens, and hundreds.

TEMPERATURE, in Fahrenheit degrees and tens, kept in the open air in a shaded situation.

DIRECTION OF WIND is registered every two points.

Force of Wind, 0 calm, 1 to 3 light breeze, 4 to 5 moderate, 6 to 7 fresh, 7 to 8 strong, 8 to 10 heavy, 10 to 12 violent.

STATE OF WEATHER. *O.* Clear blue sky. *G.* Gently drizzling. *N.E.* N.E. Foggy. *H.* Hail. *L.* Lightning. *M.* Misty. *O.* Overcast.

P. Passing showers. *S.* Squally. *R.* Rainy. *S.* Snow. *T.* Thunder. *U.* Bad, threatening.

V. Variable. *W.* Storm. *Z.* Calm. The letters are repeated to indicate any increase over the mean average of their signification.

RAINS.—The hours of rain for the previous 24 hours (noon) are registered from 1 to 24 and the quality of water fallen indicated in inches, tens and hundreds.

Shipping Intelligence.

VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

AT HONGKONG.

Left.	Name.	From.
April 19	Brantleyville,	Pennarth
" 20	Archos,	Sunderland
May 30	Gustav and Oscar,	
June 8	Sachsen,	Cardiff
" 15	Theodor Ruger,	New York
" 17	Jo Maria (s.),	Pennarth
" 21	Theodoro Roger	New York
" 23	Comet,	Cardiff
" 28	Elisabeth,	Cardiff
" 30	Matapedia (s.),	Antwerp
" 30	Zebine Gondoy,	New York
July 13	Jupiter,	Cardiff
" 21	Oreia,	Hamburg
" 23	Ischia,	London
Aug. 6	Willi,	Cardiff
" 8	Totomi Maru (s.),	Antwerp
" 11	Wilhelm Howeyer,	London
" 14	Lebar (s.),	London
" 14	Glanis (s.),	London
" 18	Maria Louise,	Liverpool

LOADINGS FOR CHINA AND JAPAN PORTS.
At London.—Steamers via *Stee Coal.*

Kangaroo	Gairmainsir.
Challenger	Gairmainsir.
Telamachus.	Broomholm.

At Liverpool.

Sarpedon (s.)	Stentor (s.)
Ajax (s.)	Dakota.

At Glasgow.

Kremlin (s.)	Owari Maru (s.)
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At Cardiff.

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